

Readings in Worship hymnal at #1093

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON: IS 48:20 Proclaim a joyful sound and let it be heard; proclaim to the ends of the earth: The Lord has freed his people, alleluia.

READING I: ACTS 15:1-2, 22-29 The first great crisis that the Church had to face was how to deal with Gentile converts. Paul and Barnabas had gone beyond what other apostles were doing by preaching to Gentiles who had embraced the Jewish faith and even to those who had not become Jews. One faction of the Church insisted that all who believed in Jesus also had to follow Jewish practice and the Torah. A compromise was reached at the Council of Jerusalem (c. AD 50): the Gentiles were spared the burden of circumcision, but were required to observe certain other legal requirements.

PSALM RESPONSE: PS 67

This psalm was probably composed as a thanksgiving for a good harvest. It is used here because of its invitation to the nations to join in praising God.

READING II: REV 21:10-14, 22-23

The vision of the New Jerusalem links the Jewish heritage of the Church (twelve gates on which were inscribed the names of the twelve tribes) with the apostolic preaching (twelve courses of foundation stones with the names of the twelve apostles). Christians have no need of a fixed location for their worship, however, because in this new city "the temple is the Lord God almighty and the Lamb."

GOSPEL: JN 14:23-29

Continuing to read from the Last Supper discourse, we learn that our ability to live the new commandment will be supported by the Holy Spirit. Jesus' final gift to us is a peace that the world cannot give.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON: JN 14:15-16

If you love me, keep my commandments, says the Lord, and I will ask the Father and he will send you another Paraclete, to abide with you for ever, alleluia.

THE ORDER OF WORSHIP

FOR THE SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER / YEAR C

Entrance Hymn......Love Divine, All Loves Excelling | #642 (Sun. 5 pm) Joyful, Joyful, We Adore You | #611

Gloria.....from Mass in Honor of Saint Ignatius | inside Worship back cover (Sun. 5 pm) from Storrington Mass | #257

Responsorial Psalm Psalm 67: O God, let all the nations praise you | #1093 (Sun. 5 pm) Psalm 67: O God, let all the nations praise you | #61

Gospel AcclamationFestival Alleluia | #335 (Sun. 5 pm) from Storrington Mass | #258

Preparation of the Gifts......I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light | #585 (10 am) Quietly beneath the Dark Earth | Don Michael Dicie (b.1941) (Sun. 5 pm) Be Not Afraid | #680

Preface Acclamationfrom Mass for the City | #374 (Sun. 5 pm) from Storrington Mass | #260

Memorial Acclamationfrom Mass for the City | #375 (Sun. 5 pm) from Storrington Mass | #261

Great Amenfrom *Mass for the City* | #376 (Sun. 5 pm) from *Storrington Mass* | #264

Communion Antiphon...... (10 am) If Ye Love Me | Thomas Tallis (c. 1505-1585)

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Hymn of Thanksgiving (10 am) Thy Perfect Love | John Rutter (b. 1941) (Sun. 5 pm) Send Us Your Spirit | David Haas (b. 1957)

Postlude Toccata in Seven | John Rutter

CHORAL TEXTS AND TRANSLATIONS

Quietly, beneath the Dark EarthDon Michael Dicie (b. 1941)

Quietly, beneath the dark earth wait the seeds 'til spring shall come, When a stirring warmth shall waken those that need the aid of sun. In the early change of season God plans much that must be done; Now the seeds beneath the dark earth stir with strength, life to be won.

Slowly seedlings rise and strengthen early while the spring is cold, Pale and tender, no uncurling, newly born and newly bold. Sun will warm them as they strengthen, little leaves can now unfold. Reaching skyward, God is leading toward a future yet untold.

Sturdy plants rejoice in living, spread their leaves and flowers wide. Send their seeds to scatter freely toward dark earth where they confide These new lives to lie in soft peace, waiting time that God provides, Full-grown plants, complete, accomplished, on his will have now relied.

When our lives seem in dark places, God is giving us a shield, a protection from wild forces 'til the right time be revealed, We will come forth when we're ready, God to praise, our lives unsealed. We'll rejoice, our lives to strengthen, God's rich world to be our field.

Thy Perfect Love.....John Rutter (b. 1945)

Jesu, my love, my joy, my rest, Thy perfect love close in my breast. That I thee love and never rest; And make me love thee all things best, And wounde my heart in they love free, That I may reign in joy evermore with thee.

(Anonymous, 15th century)

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

(S.R. Lee)

IN OUR PARISH

Can't find the bulletin you brought home from church? Want to keep up on what's happening in the parish even when you are away on vacation or sick in bed? Visit our parish website, www.stjanedechantal.org to view a copy of the bulletin and for more information on parish events and organizations.

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS

St. Jane de Chantal Parish welcomes those who have recently registered in our parish. If you attend Mass at St. Jane Frances de Chantal regularly, we encourage you to register as a member. Please complete a registration form and drop it in the collection basket when you attend Mass.

MEMORIAL DAY

This Monday, May 27, is Memorial Day, a federal holiday. The only Mass at St. Jane will be celebrated at 8:00 am. The parish office will be closed.

PRAY THE ROSARY FOR THE UNBORN

All are invited to pray the rosary for the unborn during the month of May. Even if you did not make a pledge during the sign-up period, you can still participate.

*	RECURRING	MAINTENANCE	EXPENSES
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Cleaning Services	\$10,173.00
Total Recurring Expenses	\$10,173.00
* Recurring expenses include those billed month	ly,

quarterly, semi-annually, and annually.

EXTRAORDINARY MAINTENANCE EXPENSES

Lock Repair	\$173.00
Electrical Inspection	\$580.00
Pot Holes Repairs	\$1,200.00
Plumbing Repair	\$1,500.00
Outdoor Water Coolers Installation	\$1,800.00
Church Doors Repairs	\$2,475.00
Total Extraordinary Expenses	\$7,728.00
Total Expenses 4/16/2019 - 5/14/19	\$17,901.00

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The second collection next weekend will be our monthly collection to help with the repair and maintenance of our parish facilities. The Maintenance Collection in May (as of 5/19) totaled \$7,453.00. THANK YOU!

ST. JANE FRANCES DE CHANTAL CHURCH

HOLY HOUR FOR THE ORDINANDI AND FOR VOCATIONS

On Sunday, June 2, please join parishioners in prayer before the Blessed Sacrament from 3:00-4:00 pm, as we celebrate a holy hour for those about to be ordained to the priesthood for the Archdiocese of Washington, and for an increase in vocations to the priesthood and consecrated life.

JUNIOR SODALITY SPRING ACTIVITIES

The 24 members of Junior Sodality have been quite busy this Spring! In March, they had a table at the Fashion Show, and assisted with delivering raffle items and door prizes to the attendees while enjoying a lovely afternoon. In April, they spearheaded a "Spring clean up" in the Mary Garden in preparation for confirmation and the May Crowning. Also in April, nine eighth graders participated in the Annual Essay Scholarship Contest on April 8; the winner, Caroline Gotzman, will receive a \$2,500 scholarship to high school this Fall. The rain didn't stop our May Queen, Audrey Kaden, and the lovely young ladies from having another beautiful May Crowning in the Mary Garden on May 5! on May 8, a number of Junior Sodalists served as lector, cantor, altar servers, and gift bearers at the Sodality Mass, and joined us for the General Meeting that evening. The young ladies of Junior Sodality spent their final meeting of the year making sandwiches for the homeless which were delivered to Bethesda Cares. They celebrated the graduating eighth graders with ice cream cake, and are looking forward to another great year next Fall!

FRANCISCAN PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND & JORDAN

Franciscan Friar, Fr. James Gardiner, who has been helping our parish by presiding at weekend Masses, will lead a Franciscan pilgrimage to the Holy Land and Jordan this coming October 17-28. With the help of a local guide and the insight of the Friars, this pilgrimage will walk in the footsteps of Christ. For more details download the PDF flyer found at www.atonementfriars.org/2019-holy-land.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

... those who are sick, and all those in our nursing homes and hospitals, especially John and Pat Krisko.

... those who have died, especially Mary Ann Ferrigno and Joan Hutko.

IN OUR LITURGY & MUSIC MINISTRIES

Visit the Music Ministries page at **www.stjanedechantal.org/ministries/music-ministry** for information on the many music ensembles at St. Jane.

ASPIRING CONGA DRUMMER NEEDED @ 5PM SUNDAY MASS

The Contemporary Ensemble, which provides music at the 5:00 pm Sunday Mass, needs a new member to play the conga drums (and other percussion). Our current drummer will be leaving in June for a two-year tour of duty overseas. We have the instruments and instructional videos. Volunteers need only a good sense of musical

rhythm. If interested, contact Patrice Roe at patrice.roe@gmail.com.

IN OUR FAITH FORMATION PROGRAMS

Visit the Faith Formation page at **www.stjanedechantal.org** for information on the various programs, registration forms and calendars.

2019-2020 FAITH FORMATION REGISTRATION

Registration for next year's Faith Formation programs is open. We have classes for Pre-K (grades 3/4) through grade eight, as well as High School Teen Ministry. Please visit the parish website to register your children. Pre-K (grades 3/4) as well as Kindergarten meet on Sunday mornings during the 10:00 am Mass. Grades 1-8 meet on Tuesday evenings from 6:00–7:15 pm. High School Youth Ministry meets on Sunday nights from 6:00-8:00 pm. Classes for first Communion and confirmation are also being formed. You need to register your child for the sacraments. If your child was not in CCD this past year, contact the Director of Religious Education. If you would like to enroll your child in the sacraments or would like more information, contact the Religious Education office at 301-530-1640 or seton.center@stjanedechantal.org. To register your child go to http://stjanedechantal.org/faith-formation/ religious-ed-k-8/register/.

HIGH SCHOOL TEEN MINISTRY

High School Teen Ministry is a great way for our teens to stay in contact with friends they have made while at St. Jane's School or CCD as well as to stay connected to the Parish. High School Youth Ministry is not CCD for high schools students. While there are times we focus on a particular topic of faith and life, everything we do is to help the teens grow in their faith and live it out by participating in social activities, service opportunities, parish involvement, and retreats. High School Teen Ministry meets about 3 times a month, mostly on Sundays from 6pm – 8pm, with an occasional outing outside of that time. There is a teen leadership team who assist with the youth minister. To register go to: http://stjanedechantal.org/faith-formation/ religious-ed-k-8/register/

FAITH FORMATION VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

CCD Teachers, co-teachers and High School Teen Ministry adult leaders are needed for next year. These are vital ministries in the parish so that our young people can learn and grow in their faith. You do not need to have teaching experience to teach the faith. You only need a love of the faith and a love of being with children. Training and help will be given with materials to use, in-service, as well as a guidebook on planning lessons. The Virtus child protection background check, which can be completed in the summer, needs to be completed before volunteering can begin. If you would like more information or to volunteer, please contact the Religious Education office at 301-530-1640 or seton.center@stjanedechantal.org.

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

IN OUR BLUE RIBBON SCHOOL

Check out the St. Jane de Chantal School website at www.dechantal.org to get information on admissions, see what each classroom is studying, and more.

CATHOLIC SCHOOL AWARDS FOR 2019

On Friday, May 10, the Knights of Columbus honored St. Jane de Chantal teachers with two awards for 2019. The Teacher of the Year Award was given to Mrs. Catie Skibo, and the Service Award was given to Mrs. Jennifer Tifford. Congratulations to these women, who, with their intelligence, grace, and understanding, help our students and teachers achieve excellence every day.

GRANDPARENT'S DAY

On the Monday following Mother's Day, the school welcomed all Grandparents to spend the morning with their grandchildren at our annual Grandparent's Day. The day began with a beautiful mass complete with the second grade students performing their First Communion song in sign language. After mass, Grandparents enjoyed breakfast and coffee in Christopher Hall where they could purchase books to donate to the library in their grandchild's name. Eighth grade students then escorted grandparents to the classrooms to spend the rest of their morning with their grandchildren playing games, doing art projects, and reading books together.

WILDERNESS ADVENTURE

Each year, the sixth grade travels four+ hours away to Wilderness Adventure at Eagle's Landing in New Castle, VA, to bond as a class through teamwork building activities, push themselves to do high ropes courses, zip-line and rock walls, learn how to canoe, goof off with swim activities in the pond, and be outside in the wilderness enjoying all that nature has to offer.

WILLIAMSBURG TRIP

Our eighth grade class ends their nine years together at De Chantal with an overnight trip to Williamsburg each year. This is a beautiful way for the class to reflect, bond, and prepare themselves for graduation. The students spend one day visiting historic Williamsburg and enjoying a beautiful dinner together as a class. The second day of the trip is spent having fun on the rides at Busch Gardens!



I can never remember to bring my contribution envelope, and I don't carry cash, so. I use Text-To-Give.

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IN OUR ARCHDIOCESE

For more information on vocations, education, family, youth, social concerns, & other events in the Archdiocese of Washington, visit **www.adw.org**. The website also has a media center, which includes social media tools, a YouTube channel, and apps.

STEWARDSHIP

Today's reading from Revelation offers a vision of the City of God, the new Jerusalem. "But," the bishops' pastoral on stewardship reminds us, "that 'life to come' is in continuity with this present life through the human goods, the worthy human purposes, which people foster now."

PARISH SUPPORT FOR MAY 19, 2019 (* not including Faith Direct)			
* Offertory * May 20, 2018			
Attendance May 20, 2018			
FAITH DIRECT F	OR MAY 2019		
Offertory (4 Sundays) May 2018	\$37,848.00 \$40,678.00		

POOR BOX

The Poor Box next weekend, June 1/2, will benefit the Monsignor Christopher Fund, which provides need-based scholarships to our parish school.



To give via text, follow these steps:

- 1. Text \$ amount to 301-485-5127.
- Register your credit/debit card (you will only need to do this once).
- **3.** You will receive a confirmation email asking you to choose a fund for your gift, e.g., Easter.
- Save the number as a contact in your phone to make future giving faster and easier.

ST. JANE FRANCES DE CHANTAL CHURCH

BETHESDA, MARYLAND

C = Church ◆ CH = Caulfield Hall ◆ CGS = Gathering Space ◆ CLL = Church Lower Lobby CRH = Christopher Hall ◆ SMR = Scanlan Meeting Room ◆ DCR = De Chantal Room MR = Music Room ◆ NMR = Nalls Meeting Room ◆ RBR = Rectory Board Room SCH = School ◆ SC = Seton Center for Religious Education AF = Athletic Field ◆ PG = Parish Grounds					
SUNDAY, MAY 26 3:00 pmFamily ChoirMR					
MONDAY, MAY 27: MEMORIAL DAY 8:00 amC					
TUESDAY, MAY 289:30 amSchool Pre-KCH3:00 pmSchool Grade 1CH7:00 pmBible Time-LineSC					
WEDNESDAY, MAY 29 8:00 am School Pre-K Parent Meeting 3:00 pm School Dance Class CH 5:00 pm Daisy Troop 3426 (Grade 1) DCR 7:00 pm Family Choir					
THURSDAY, MAY 30 9:30 am School Pre-K CH 7:00 pm Boy Scouts Troop 461 NMR 7:00 pm Centering Prayer SC 7:00 pm Handbell Choir MR 7:30 pm Parish Choir MR					
FRIDAY, MAY 31 4:00 pmSchool Grade 5 Service ProjectCRH					
SATURDAY, JUNE 1 6:00 amMen's First Saturday FellowshipCH 6:30 pmSenior/Ambassador Girl Scouts Troop 4959DCR					

Sun., May 26 – Sat., June 1

11:00 am Lawrence Joseph Walker/D

5:00 pm John Francis Burke/D

8:00 am Maria Guth/L

POPE FRANCIS

"We are not alone: Jesus is close to us. among us, within us! His new presence in history happens through the gift of the Holy Spirit, through whom it is possible to instill a living relationship with Him, the Crucified and Risen One. The Spirit, flowing within us through the Sacraments of Baptism and Confirmation, acts in our life. He guides us in the way to think, to act, to distinguish between what is good and what is bad; he helps us to practice the charity of Jesus, his giving of himself to others, especially to the most needy.

> .Pope Francis, *homily*, St. Peter's Square, 1 May 2016

READINGS June 2 Reading I Acts 1:1-11 Reading II Eph 1:17-23 or Heb 9:24-28; 10:19-23 Gospel

Lk 24:46-53

INTENTIONS Sunday 8:00 am Parishioners 10:00 am Hilda Kiss/D 12:00 pm Renato Abaya/D 5:00 pm Natacha Barry/L Monday 8:00 am Bernard A. Fitzgerald/D 11:00 am No Mass 8:00 am Teresa Lara/D Tuesday 11:00 am Dorothy Harkins/D Wednesday 8:00 am Joyce Hayes Curtner/D 11:00 am W. R./L 8:00 am Teresa & Anne Keeney/L Thursday 11:00 am Steven & Naomi Wijesinghe/L 8:00 am Marietta Swift/L Friday

Saturday

ALTAR SE	RVERS	Mon., May 27 – Sun., June 2
Monday	8:00 am	P. Kelly, J. Morris
	11:00 am	No Mass
Tuesday	8:00 am	A. McCormick, J. McCormick
	11:00 am	C. Johnson, N. Sissoko
Wednesday	8:00 am	S. Boehm, J. Broome
	11:00 am	M. Ryan, S. Ryan
Thursday	8:00 am	T. Kuta, T. Merola
	11:00 am	R. Hutko, L. Owens
Friday	8:00 am	S. Boehm, K. McCabe
	11:00 am	C. Johnson, S. Townsend
Saturday	8:00 am	L. Sabella-Capuano, N. Sissoko
	5:00 pm	B. Harman, R. Pablo, S. Townsend
Sunday	8:00 am	S. Boehm, B. Harman, P. Harman
	10:00 am	M. Gleeson, R. Gleeson, C. Stroud
	12:00 pm	M. Kish, S. Kish, K. McCabe
	5:00 pm	C. McGuire, J. McKinnon, T. McKinnon

PARISH CALENDAR

For all upcoming events, visit www.stjanedechantal.org, click on "Complete Parish Calendar." Sunday, May 26 – Saturday, June 1, 2019